

Church Work.

Conference Notes.

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REMARKS.

At the head of this column will be found each week the organization of the National Conference, and of each District Conference. This will prove helpful to our readers in more than one way. It will enable district Conferences to communicate with each other and with the National organization. The President of each conference is supposed to be informed along the various lines of work in his district, and thus he becomes the source of information to the members of said district who desire and seek it. The President of the National Organization should be informed on all the business of the Conference, keep in touch with the workings of district conferences, and the Brotherhood at large, and be ready to impart said information to those who seek it, for which service he is paid in honor and glory. ("Johnny" will please note this.)

For this issue we have the organizations of but three district conferences. Will the Calif., Michigan, Virginia, Indiana and Pa., conferences please send us the names and addresses of their officers that we may record them in their proper place.

This Department will be open for any inquiries and remarks that our readers wish to make. It belongs to *church work*, and it is our aim to be as helpful as possible.

Young People's Work.

REMARKS

This department of *church work* will be open to the Young people. The young people are a great power in the church, and every opportunity should be given them for the development and application of their forces. The church must look to them for its helpers. From among the army of young people will come the men and women who will carry forward the triumphs of truth, and we give them all the encouragement and support and every opportunity it is within our power to give them. We have worked with and among them for twelve or fifteen years and we love them and appreciate their efficient service. We can bear testimony to the help and inspiration received from them

while engaged in active ministry. We bid them welcome in their columns.

The EVANGELIST recognizes and endorses the *King's Children* as the national organization. It is the only *national* organization of young people in the Brethren church, and as an organization of and by the church we will do all we can for the advancement of its interests. But as there are other local organizations of young people in the church doing effective work, we bid them a hearty welcome, and will promise them a place in these columns. Let us labor together for the highest good of all. It is a hopeful sign of the times that our young people and sisters are given such a large place in church work. It belongs to them—it is theirs by divine right. Let us hear from you weekly.

A WORTHY OBJECT.

EDITOR EVANGELIST:—The Guild of the Brethren Church of Meyersdale, Pennsylvania, desire to have you publish through the columns of the EVANGELIST the following proposition:

We will donate twenty-five dollars and a certain sum monthly, for the purpose of starting a fund to educate a worthy young man for the ministry, providing the other Young Peoples' Societies in the church will donate whatever they feel they are able to, and agree to set aside a sum monthly for the same purpose.

ANNA BEECHLY President.

BARBARA MILLER, Secretary.

Meyersdale, Pa., Oct 4, 1894.

KING'S CHILDREN OF THE ILLIOKOTA DISTRICT:—How's the work? Perhaps that is not a very courteous way of greeting you. It's not courtesy I am after anyway it's *work*. Then how is it? Have you a K. C. society? Why not? Let us help you organize. Oh don't say we cannot organize. A young person with a little zeal can do anything that is at all possible. Develop backbone or you can't stand alone. The K. C. will be the backbone of the church some day. Better begin to grow towards that now. Write to me or to Sister Ida Razey, of Brooklyn, Iowa, and if we can possibly do so we will give you some help. We are in earnest, are you? We want to prove it, do you? What are K. C. societies for? *To save young men and women*. How? By first attracting, then by the aid of the church converting then. Let us work. Oh, let us work hard for the coming winter's revivals. Pray and believe what you pray.

WESLEY WINE, Dist. President.

Milledgeville, Ill.

Contemn rest, and thou shalt gain rest; contemn earth, and thou shalt gain heaven.—Chrysostom.

God asks us to give up nothing that it is worth our while to keep.

Sisters' S. C. E.

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION.

President—Laura E. N. Grossnickle, South Bend, Ind.
Secretary—Sarah Cabaugh, Johnstown, Pa.
Treasurer—Sarah Keim, Louisville, Ohio.

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Under this department of *church work* will be found the *doings* of the Sister's Society of C. E. We invite correspondence from the various local organizations, and especially would we like to have weekly reports from the National organizer and president. Let us hear from our sisters all over the Brotherhood. You can help each other. How often do you meet? How many members have you? How do you raise money? etc. In this way you can keep in touch with each other and the Brotherhood at large. This is a standing invitation to all the sisters. We know your *willingness* and *ability* to do effective work for the Master, and you shall not want an opportunity to use your influence for him. So far as the EVANGELIST is concerned, no customs, traditions or human mandates shall be allowed to circumscribe the liberties which the blessed Gospel of Jesus vouchsafes to all women.

SEMI-ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TREASURER S. S. C. E.

What we received since April.

Miamisburg,	Ohio,	\$2.00
Ankneytown,	"	2.00
Vernalis,	Calif.,	2.60
Milledgeville,	Ill.,	2.50
Lathrop,	Calif.,	1.30
Millersburg,	Ia.,	3.60
Roann,	Ind.,	2.10
N. Manchester,	Ind.,	1.80
Miamisburg,	Ohio,	2.00
Meyersdale,	Pa.,	3.00
Carlton,	Neb.,	2.75
Milford,	Ind.,	4.00
Lecture,	J. B. Wampler,	2.19
South Bend,	Ind.,	3.30
N. Liberty,	Ohio,	2.20
Meyersdale,	Pa.,	2.50
Denver,	Ind.,	2.00
Ashland,	Ohio,	1.50
Cornell,	Ill.,	90
Louisville,	Ohio,	2.00
Johnstown,	Pa.,	11.00

Total, \$57.24

DEAR EVANGELIST:—I have just returned from New Troy where I attended the Michigan State Conference and filled my regular appointments as pastor. The Conference passed off very pleasantly and we believe, will prove to have been stimulating and helpful to the church at that place. We took up a collection for the S. S. C. E. on Friday, and though there were only a few present in the morning because of the very inclement weather, yet it amounted